

## **Write-Once Read-Many Hard Disk Drive Using A WORM Pointer**

### **ABSTRACT**

Disclosed are a system, an apparatus, a method and an article of manufacture to provide for writing WORM (write once read many) data to a data storage device. A WORM pointer memory is used for maintaining an inventory of LBAs (logical block addresses) where WORM data may be written on the data storage media of the data storage device. The WORM pointer memory is a tamper proof memory device to maintain data integrity with respect to WORM data.